

EAST RAMOS FIELD

02-494 thru 02-497

LEGAL NOTICE

STATE OF LOUISIANA, OFFICE OF CONSERVATION, BATON ROUGE, LOUISIANA.

In accordance with the laws of the State of Louisiana, and with particular reference to the provisions of Title 30 of Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, a public hearing will be held in the Hearing Room, 1st Floor, LaSalle Building, 617 North 3rd Street, Baton Rouge, Louisiana, at 9:00 a.m., on **TUESDAY, AUGUST 27, 2002**, upon the application of **KERR-MCGEE ROCKY MOUNTAIN CORPORATION**.

At such hearing the Commissioner of Conservation will consider evidence relative to the issuance of an Order pertaining to the following matters relating to the **Operc B Zone, Reservoir A, Operc 3 Zone, Reservoir A, Operc 5 Zone, Reservoir A and Operc 6 Zone, Reservoir A**, in the East Ramos Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana.

1. To establish rules and regulations and to create a single drilling and production unit for the exploration for and production of gas and condensate from each of the following reservoirs: the Operc B Zone, Reservoir A, the Operc 3 Zone, Reservoir A, the Operc 5 Zone, Reservoir A and the Operc 6 Zone, Reservoir A. The proposed units designated OPERC B RA SUA, OPERC 3 RA SUA, OPERC 5 RA SUA and OPERC 6 RA SUA, are shown on the plats submitted with the application.
2. To force pool and integrate all separately owned tracts, mineral leases and other property interests within each of the proposed units with each tract sharing in unit production on a surface acreage basis of participation.
3. To provide that any wells drilled to the aforementioned reservoirs should be located in accordance with the spacing provisions of Statewide Order No. 29-E.
4. To provide that the Commissioner of Conservation should be authorized to reclassify each of the zones and reservoirs by supplemental order without the necessity of a public hearing should the producing characteristics of each reservoir change and evidence to justify such reclassification is submitted to and accepted by the Commissioner of Conservation.
5. To consider such other matters as may be pertinent.

The Operc B Zone, Reservoir A, in the East Ramos Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 17,020' and 18,000' (ELM) in the Meridian Resources - Thibodeaux No. 1 Well, located in Section 36, Township 16 South, Range 13 East.

The Operc 3 Zone, Reservoir A, in the East Ramos Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 18,000' and 18,890' (ELM) in the Meridian Resources - Thibodeaux No. 1 Well, located in Section 36, Township 16 South, Range 13 East.

The Operc 5 Zone, Reservoir A, in the East Ramos Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 19,070' and 19,575' (ELM) in the Burlington Resources - State Lease 16049 No.1 (Avoca No. 1) Well, located in Section 36, Township 16 South, Range 13 East.

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The Operc 6 Zone, Reservoir A, in the East Ramos Field, Terrebonne Parish, Louisiana, is hereby defined as being that gas and condensate bearing zone encountered between the depths of 14,050' and 14,540' (ELM) in the Anadarko Production - Register "A" No. 1 Well, located in Section 35, Township 16 South, Range 15 East.

Plats are available for inspection in the Office of Conservation in **Baton Rouge** and **Lafayette**, Louisiana or may be found at the following site:

www.dnr.state.la.us/CONS/CONSEREN/hearings/pubhearings.htm.

All parties having interest therein shall take notice thereof.

BY ORDER OF:

JAMES H. WELSH

COMMISSIONER OF CONSERVATION

Baton Rouge, La

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IF ACCOMMODATIONS ARE REQUIRED UNDER AMERICANS WITH DISABILITIES ACT, PLEASE ADVISE THE OFFICE OF CONSERVATION - ENGINEERING DIVISION AT P. O. BOX 94275, BATON ROUGE, LA 70804-9275 IN WRITING WITHIN TEN (10) WORKING DAYS OF THE HEARING DATE.